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TROUBLE COMING OVER RACE DATES

Empire City Track Wants
a Meeting.

CAN ERADICATE DEFECTS

Not Bothered by Objections About
Transportation Facilities and
Hard Going.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Within the next two weeks the Jockey Club is expected to announce the annual schedule of Eastern racing dates. The same situation that worried the Jockey Club last year is confronting it again, since James Butler, the owner of the Empire City track, has applied for dates during August, when the runners are at Saratoga.

Heretofore, there has been no intimation that there might be any difficulty in dividing up the season along the lines of last year's schedule. The Empire City question may act as a deterrent, however, as its owner is evidently determined to force the issue for dates of some kind. The make-up of the State Racing Commission has not yet been announced, and should there be any change, which is not at present anticipated, the Yonkers track question might interfere seriously with present intentions.

Refusal Probable.

What action will be taken is not known, but the probability is that the application will be refused on the ground that transportation facilities to and from the course are inadequate; that the buildings are not properly placed, and that the course itself is unsuited to the requirements of racing, being too hard and the soil too stony to admit of racing without the risk of breaking down valuable thoroughbreds.

Mr. Butler takes the stand that these alleged defects can be overcome if necessary, and he is ready to meet any reasonable demand of the Jockey Club in order to secure dates.

Objections Not Valid.

"The methods of handling large crowds at the Empire City track," he said yesterday, "can be brought up to the standard obtaining at any other metropolitan track by the construction of sufficient storing extra cars, and I have the assurance of the trolley company that these switches will be put in whenever the necessity arises."

FOUNDRY WON TWO

FROM INDEX FIVE

In the Government Printing Office League last night on the Rathskeller alleys Foundry took two games from the Index quint. Addison's 229 was high.

Foundry.....	1st.	2d.	3d.
Brown.....	149	170	177
Splann.....	156	162	149
Addison.....	204	192	229
Herbert.....	179	193	171
Carey.....	175	150	162
Totals.....	883	867	880
Index.....	1st.	2d.	3d.
McCarthy.....	159	119	187
Sherman.....	152	211	149
McFadyen.....	163	200	189
Murray.....	158	182	129
McAlon.....	152	167	192
Totals.....	785	879	846



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CHICAGO BOXER,
He Meets Kid Sullivan Tonight.

SULLIVAN-PARKER BATTLE TONIGHT

Washington Boxer Will Seek Revenge
for His Beating by Dave
Deshler.

The second bout of the week in which "Kid" Sullivan, the Washington boxer, will appear as a principal, is booked for tonight in Baltimore at Germania Maennerchor Hall, when he will hook up with "Kid" Parker, of Chicago, for fifteen rounds before the Eureka Athletic Club.

Monday night the "Kid" from Washington was forced to lower his colors for the first time in many months when he met Dave Deshler, of Boston.

Sullivan is not disheartened as a result of the defeat, and tonight he will seek revenge at the expense of the Windy City boy. The latter is far from a novice, and is touted as a good one. Many boxers out West have tasted the effect of his sleep-producers.

DOWN TO TRAINING FOR NEXT BIG BOUT

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 2.—With just one week more in which to train for their battle, Kid Hermann and Aurelio Herrera, are straining every muscle to be in the best possible shape when the gong rings to send them to the ring. Each boy realizes the importance of victory, and nothing will be left undone by either one which will help defeat his opponent.

Herrera's condition today is superb, and unless he begins to off-balance on Friday the Bakersfield fighter will meet Hermann in grand shape. When he fought Young Corbett a few weeks ago, the Mexican was trained to the minute, and the same conditions will prevail when he hooks up with Hermann. The Chicago boy is right there, too. A total abstainer all the time, it does not take Hermann long to fit himself for any kind of a battle. He is a bridge for the wind, and boxing and bag punching as speed producers, are about all the exercise he takes off in this city. He is always a safe bet that he will go into the ring as fit as he ever was.

As the winner has been promised a so with Battling Nelson for the championship, the fight next week will undoubtedly be one of the hardest and fastest ever pulled off in this city. The men will be equal favorites in the betting, as the experts are undecided as to their choice. Herrera's last fight, that with Corbett, shows just how dangerous the Mexican is with his right hand, and Hermann's clever win over Eddie Hanlon stamps the Chicago boy as one of the coolest lightweights that has ever fought here.

CHICAGO WOULD QUIT FOOTBALL

Faculties Favor Stopping
Game for Two Years.

MIGHT ACCEPT REFORMS

If It Plays It Will Be Under Revolutionizing Rules Adopted by Big Nine.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The University of Chicago last night went on record as favoring the suspension of football for two years.

It prefers this course to any tinkering with the game as played at present. However, if the intercollegiate conference does not agree to suspend the game entirely for two years, then the University of Chicago accepts the drastic reforms laid down at the "Big Nine" conference without modification.

No Training Table.

At the meeting last night the united faculties of arts, literature and science, and the united faculties of the junior colleges of the university voted to interpret section 8 of the former conference to mean that no training table or table quarters be maintained.

In section 12 the faculties expressed the hope that the word "second" would be eliminated. This would end the football season the last Saturday before Thanksgiving.

The University of Chicago takes the radical stand that football should be suspended from the conference colleges for two years as the only remedy for the present "impure and professional spirit in athletics."

This action of the Maroon faculties will probably be the final ultimatum from Chicago. According to members of the university senate, which will meet today to decide upon the proposal of the professors, the recommendation for suspension will unquestionably be confirmed. There will be no possibility of changing the decision of the senate, which is the highest ruling body of the university.

YOUNG SHARKEY SEEKS TOMMY LOWE'S SCALP

Tommy Lowe has trouble in store for him. There's a little Irishman on his trail.

Young Sharkey is in our midst and says he is going to remain in the nation's Capital until he has exchanged swats with the elusive Thomas. Sharkey met Tommy at his Southeast home yesterday and asked for a match, whereupon Lowe swelled up with pride and indignation and remarked: "Go get a reputation."

This rude rebuttal made Sharkey peevish. He says he wouldn't have minded being turned down on ordinary grounds, but he did object to having such cruel words hurled at his head. Therefore he says he will force Lowe to fight him.

Sharkey fights at 130 to 135 pounds, but will make 120 for Lowe. According to his statement he met Kid Gilbert for six rounds in Philadelphia and got none the worse of it, which was also true of another six-round bout in the same city with John Henry Johnson. He got a draw with Tommy Nyland and followed that by knocking out Kid Hamilton, of Chicago, in two rounds.

Sharkey also claims to be the champion lightweight of the army and navy by virtue of beating Corporal Rubishaw, of Fort Myer, at a point near the fort, on October 15, 1905, in three rounds, and putting it over Tommy Brown, lightweight champion of the navy, at Charleston navy yard in seven rounds.

HEMERY LEAVES FULL OF ANGER

Personal Comment on Men and
Things in the Field of Sports

BASEBALL.

Outfielder Davy Jones has signed with Detroit.

If Delahanty fails to make good at third for the Cincis he may be tried in right field.

Jesse Tannehill thinks that Jim Delahanty will make a mighty good man for Cincinnati.

The Lawrence Club has signed T. A. Hurley, Gus Epler, H. J. Cote, W. A. Spratt, and Notty Lee.

Yonkers, of the Tri-State League, expects to have \$5,000 with which to put out a "best ever" team this spring.

Toronto gave Outfielder Roman and Infielder Becker to secure Herman Long, the veteran shortstop, once with the Boston Nationals.

President Creamer, the new head of the Tri-State League, has announced that his league will accept no players already under contract.

The Chicago Nationals have landed another pitcher, Walter Mueller, last season with Nelson, Britt, and McGovern. Gans has agreed to the terms of Tom O'Rourke for a battle with Nelson at the Tuxedo Club, near Philadelphia, and it is up to Nelson.

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BOXING.

Negotiations have begun for a fifteen-round battle in Baltimore between Joe Gans and Mike (Twin) Sullivan. Al Herford has heard from Sullivan and will agree to put up a suitable purse. Sullivan wants to weigh 135 pounds at 3 o'clock and Gans has consented. The match will be made, provided Gans cannot arrange a battle with Nelson, Britt, or McGovern. Gans has agreed to the terms of Tom O'Rourke for a battle with Nelson at the Tuxedo Club, near Philadelphia, and it is up to Nelson.

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\$12.35 for Suits Marked \$18.50	\$13.35 for \$20.00 Overcoats
\$13.35 for Suits Marked \$20.00	\$15.00 for \$22.50 Overcoats
\$15.00 for Suits Marked \$22.50	\$20.00 for \$30.00 Overcoats
\$20.00 for Suits Marked \$30.00	\$23.35 for \$35.00 Overcoats
\$23.35 for Suits Marked \$35.00	\$26.35 for \$40.00 Overcoats
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\$4.00 Trousers now.....\$2.67	\$7.50 Trousers now.....\$5.00
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\$3.00 Suits and Overcoats.....	\$2.00

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